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10/802483**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION  
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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Taketo HARA et al.  
 Title: "A Metal Sheet Coated with a Paint Film for Use as Dew Preventing Cladding Members"

## Small Entity Status:

- ☐ Small Entity Statement under 37 CFR 1.27 is enclosed  
☐ Small Entity Status is asserted for this application under 37 CFR 1.27

Enclosed are: ☒ (1) Sheet/s of Drawing/s  
☒ Assignment of the invention to: Nisshin Steel Co., Ltd.  
☒ Declaration  
☐ Non-Publication Request Under 37 C.F.R. §1.213  
☒ Claim for Priority & Priority Document

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

	<u>No. Filed</u>	<u>No. Extra</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Non-Small Entity</u>	<u>Charge</u>
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Claims <u>3</u> -20 = <u>0</u>			x \$ 9.00	x \$ 18.00	\$ <u>0.00</u>
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Claims <u>1</u> -3 = <u>0</u>			x \$ 43.00	x \$ 86.00	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Multiple Dependent Claim/s			+ \$145.00	+ \$290.00	\$ <u>0.00</u>
Basic Fee			+ \$385.00	+ \$770.00	\$ <u>770.00</u>
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- Specification (14 pp) / Claims (1 pp) / Abstract (1 pp) / Drawings (1 pp)
- Combined Declaration & Power of Attorney (4 pp)
- Claim for Priority (1 pp) & Priority Document (19 pp)
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